

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the dedication of government employees who conduct the public's business is often unrecognized despite the essential services they perform; and

WHEREAS, teachers, firefighters, police officers, and many others labor faithfully at the local level in the public interest – sometimes at risk for their own personal safety; and

WHEREAS, dedicated state government employees improve our quality of life through their efforts in fields such as education, emergency management, natural resources, health; and

WHEREAS, others work in the public interest at the Federal level in fields like Space Exploration, Food Inspection, Medicare or Social Security Administration, Mortgage Insurance or Diplomacy, as well as in the Armed Forces of the United States; and

WHEREAS, <u>all</u> government workers strive to fulfill the promises made by the founders of our Republic while also trying to meet the challenging needs of a diverse population in a rapidly changing technological environment;

Now Therefore, I, Louis H. Bruni, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Webb County Judge, and on behalf of the Commissioners Court, do hereby proclaim May 5-11, 2003 to be:

"PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK"

In Webb County and call upon all our citizens to pause and appreciate the contributions made by public employees at all levels who help ensure the quality of our lives in this great County of Webb, State of Texas.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of Texas to be affixed on this 5^{th} day of May, 2003.

The Honorable Louis H. Bruni Webb County Judge